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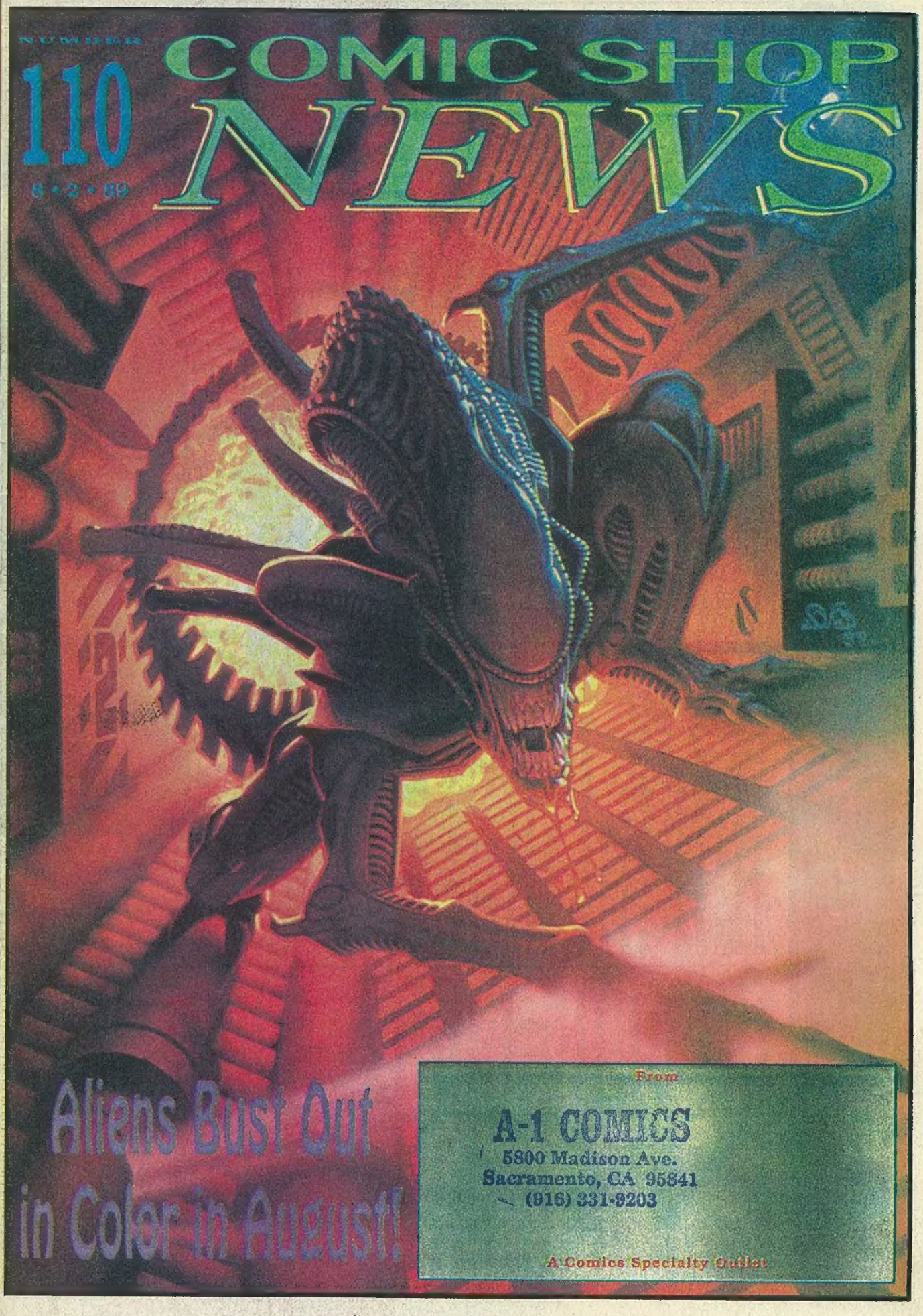

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Deadbone Bodes Well For Fantagraphics

Before his tragic death in the mid-1970's, Vaughn Bode was one of the most popular, talented, and promising artist/writers in the comics world. His work, populated by lizards, wizards, heavily-armed mercenaries, and beautiful women, was unique in the comics field; much of what Bode did bridged the gap between superhero/ fantasy/science fiction comics and the more adult underground comics.

For years, much of Bode's work has been very hard to find; that won't be the case beginning in September, however, when Fantagraphics starts to add several new Bode collections to its offering of Vaughn Bode titles.

Deadbone, the first new offering from Fantagraphics, will collect all the black-and-white ***Deadbone*** pages that originally appeared in ***Cavalier*** magazine in 1969 and 1970. These strips haven't been available in book form since a Canadian reprinting was offered a decade and a half ago.

Fantagraphics is diligently presenting the material in the most faithful form possible; their edition of ***Deadbone*** will present the pages in their original format rather than breaking them up to fit the format of the book they're collected in. Even better, a majority of the strips are being shot from the original pencil art, using today's more sophisticated printing techniques to reproduce them in the subtlest, most faithful form possible.

Deadbone will be the first of several new editions of Bode's classic cartoon work; Fantagraphics also plans to release collection of Cheech Wizard, Sunspot, The Man, and several volumes of Bode's never-before--reprinted sketchbooks and diaries.

The books will be filled with bonus items that no Vaughn Bode fan will want to be without, including maps and character sketches for the Deadbone Universe, and other ***Deadbone***-like strips like "Crab's Ball," "Birdoc Brainbuster, Creature Builder," "The Amorous Adventures of Puck," and "Lizard Zen."

Deadbone, the kick-off title in Fantagraphics' new Bode series of books, will be offered in both hardcover and softcover formats. The softcover will be priced at $7.95; the hardcover with dustjacket will cost $29.95. Both books will feature 68 black-and-white pages.

--*by* WAYNE LEE

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Matrix Titles Join High-Caliber Line-Up

Caliber Press, the growing independent publisher that has already established itself with titles like Crow and Baker Street, will be adding the Matrix Graphics titles to its line beginning in September. Matrix's books included ***Northguard*** and ***Dragonstar,*** both of which will find a new home at Caliber.

In addition to these two titles, Caliber is negotiating to add other Matrix titles. Gary Reed, publisher of Caliber, said, "We're interested in doing them and they're interested in having us do them. However, we are talking to the creators involved about various specifics."

Northguard Book One: Manifest Destiny will be the first Caliber release drawing on the old Matrix Line. This trade paperback will collect all the original ***Northguard*** stories written by Mark Shainblum and illustrated by Gabriel Morrissette, who has recently done some work for DC.

Northguard was one of the first comic series to feature a powered hero in a "real" world, predating the move towards "heroic realism" seen in such works as ***The One, Watchmen, The Question, The Dark Knight,*** and other series.

Accompanying the ***Northguard*** trade paperback in September will be a new three issue miniseries, ***Northguard Book Two: The Man-Des Conclusion.*** The monthly series by Shainblum and Morrissette will offer further insights into the ramifications of Philip Wise's decision to take on the power of the Uniband.

The second Matrix title making a home at Caliber is ***Dragonstar,*** a science fiction series written by sf author Mary Ann Bramstrup and illustrated by Ian Carr. The story is set thousands of years in the future, after a massive war between humanity and an offshoot race called the Hybrids. The main characters are determined to stop a plan to destabilize the peaceful empire.

Matrix released three issues of ***Dragonstar,*** although the third issue saw only limited distribution. The Caliber edition will contain all three of those issues plus a new conclusion to the series, bringing ***Dragonstar***'s trade paperback pagecount up to 160. Ian Carr, whose work was praised for its strong layout and clean-line style, will also do a new cover for the series.

"We're proud to have Northguard and Dragonstar join our ranks," said Reed. "They are both of top-notch quality and a welcome addition to anyone's line-up."

--*by* ALEX KIRKLAND

Piranha Knows The Score

If there's one thing a Piranha Press reader should know, it's that no two projects from this publisher are exactly alike. After an auspicious beginning with a science fiction mini-series, a black-humor look at modern society, and an existentialist/absurdist look at the individual in society, readers should certainly know that Piranha is determined to explore as many different genres an styles as possible. In ***The Score,*** a four-issue limited series beginning in September, Piranha will present Gerard Jones' and Mark Badger's version of a Hitchcockian suspense-thriller with science fictional overtones.

The Score takes place in Hollywood--but it's not the Hollywood of the town's glory days, nor is it the Hollywood of today. Instead, it's the near-future Hollywood that has split in two. One segment of Hollywood is steeped in wealth and luxury, while the other half is permeated with the wretchedness of decadence and crime.

"New Hollywood" will use any means, including force, to keep the dregs of"Lower Hollywood" out--but the two Hollywoods are more closely intertwined than one might think, because New Hollywood's prosperity depends on the lifestyle of Lower Hollywood, for it New Hollywood's fortune is built on drugs, pornography, and prostitution.

Philip Sand, the protagonist of ***The Score***, is a rock star who has fallen out of public favor--but then, two years in a drug clinic have that effect on a musical career, don't they? Now he's out--but two years of institutionalization and "drug therapy" involving a constant use of drugs has left Sand with almost no memory at all. He doesn't even remember that he has evidence that links New Hollywood's wealth to Lower Hollywood's crime. Other people most certainly remember that, though...

Tawny Stone is a prostitute who recognizes Sand after he hits the streets. She takes him to Soupy, the owner of a Thai restaurant who is also involved n a plan to break the vicelord's stranglehold on Lower Hollywood. His plan? To have Sand pose as a pimp and infiltrate the organization of Isaac Wolf, a porn and drug czar who, despite is relative power, is a small player in the vice game.

The first issue of ***The Score*** throws Philip Sand into this mix, where everyone wants something different from him--and he just wants to know why he's so important to all these people, and just who is trying to kill him.

Like some of Hitchcock's best works, ***The Score*** thrusts a man into a dangerous world that suspects him of knowing far more than he realizes. Writer Gerard Jones has borrowed from the themes of Hitchcock without imitating his plots or characters at all.

Joining Jones is artist Mark Badger, who is painting ***The Score.*** Each issue will contain 48 pages of story and art in prestige format for $4.95. The first issue of ***The Score*** will be on sale on September 21st.

--*by* KIM B. PEARSON

NEWSBRIEFS

BEAUTY & BEAST SEES LIGHT OF DAY IN SECOND GN

The success of the first ***Beauty and the Beast*** graphic novel from First Comics has inspired the Chicago-based company (and writer/illustrator **Wendy Pini**) to give it another try. **Kurt Goldzung** of First has confirmed that Wendy Pini has agreed to do a second ***Beauty and the Beast*** graphic novel later this year or early next year.

"We just confirmed this with Wendy at the Chicago convention," Goldzung said. "She's very eager to get started on it, and we're hoping that we can have the book ready by Christmas of this year--although that's not that far away, and there's a possibility it won't be out until early next year. Wendy is eager to do it; she wants to complete it before she begins her next ***Elfquest*** project."

If the graphic novel comes out later this year or early in 1990, that means that it may actually hit the stands at the very same time the television show returns to the CBS schedule. The show will not be a part of the new fall season, but a dozen episodes have been ordered as mid-season replacements.

Incidentally, the first ***Beauty and the Beast*** graphic novel has been a very strong seller for First; Kurt Goldzung told ***CSN*** that it was very likely that First would have to do a second printing of the book later this month or early in August to meet the strong re-order demand.

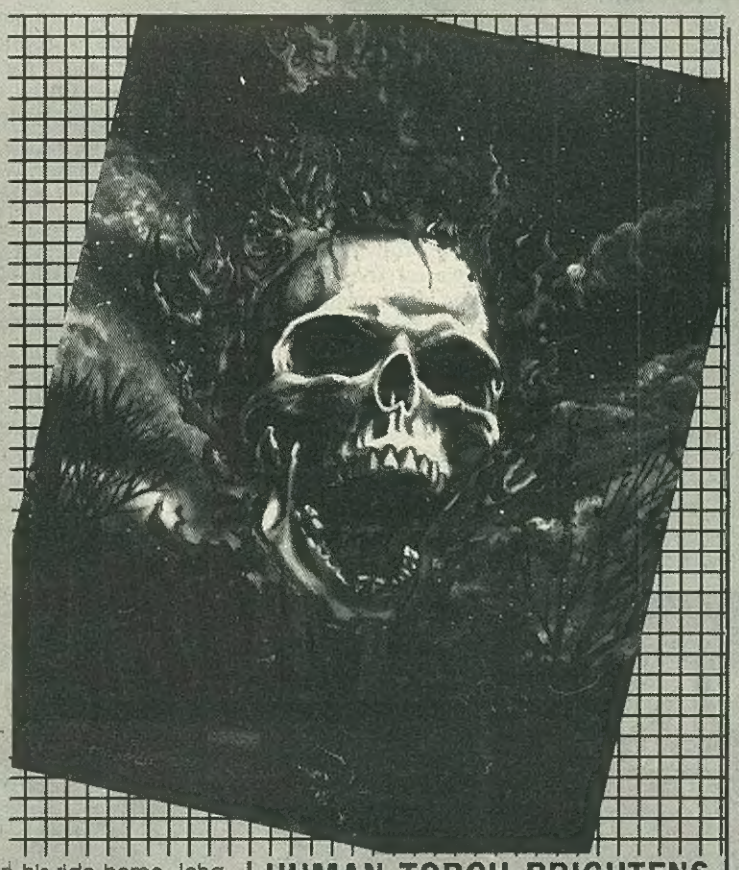
THIS ONE'S NO FINANCIAL LONGSHOT...

Longshot, the well-known 6-issue limited series by **Ann Nocenti** and **Art Adams,** has been one of the most successful limited series of the decade; since its publication, prices for the back issues have steadily climbed, though many fans have lamented that they couldn't find copies available at any price. Those fans need mope no longer--Marvel has listened to their cries!

on September 14th, Marvel will issue the ***Longshot Trade Paperback,*** a 176-page volume compiling the entire limited series in a single volume with a new painted cover. The series tells the story of how Longshot fled Mojo's world and made his way to Earth; many characters who have since become very important in X-Men continuity appear in this storyline. The book will be priced at $16.95.

HORSEMAN HEADS ETERNITY'S SEPTEMBER LINE-UP

Washington Irving was one of America's first professional writers; his short stories borrowed from European sources, but he diligently transplanted those European folk tales and legends to America, creating the beginnings of our country's own unique folk legendary. One of his most beloved creations was the story of Ichabod Crane, the timid schoolteacher whose unrequited love creates problems for him--but nowhere near the problems that a Headless Horseman creates on his ride home. Ichabod Crane's story has been the subject of live-action films, Disney animation, and television retellings of the tale; in September, his story will be the basis of a two issue comic book limited series. ***The Headless Horseman*** will appear on a bi-weekly schedule in September. Each issue will be priced at $2.25.



NEWELL JOINS WONDER WOMAN TEAM

George Perez is a busy, busy man nowadays, what with his commitments to ***New Titans*** and the ***Superman*** family of books. To help him find some time to keep up with his work-load, ***Catwoman*** writer **Mindy Newell** will be joining Perez as scripter of ***Wonder Woman*** beginning with the 36th issue, on sale on September 14th. George Perez will continue to plot the series. In Newell's first issue, man finally comes to Paradise Island as the cultural exchange between Themyscira and Patriarch's world begins.

SPECTRUM LINE FADES OUT

CSN told you not too long ago about Archie Comics' upcoming superhero line of comics, Spectrum Comics. It looks like Spectrum won't be showing up on the comic shop racks after all, however; according to **Dale Kanzler** of Archie's direct sales department, Archie has re-evaluated the marketplace and decided not to launch the Spectrum line after all.

"Archie has spent a long time developing its reputation for wholesome comics, and they were afraid that a more mature superhero line like this might cause some confusion," Kanzler said. Archie is looking to expand its line, but in a different way; Kanzler confirmed earlier ***CSN*** reports that projects under consideration include graphic albums, trade paperback and hardcover collections, and new titles more in keeping with the Archie line.

Several of the Spectrum Comics titles had actually gone into production, with entire books already completed; there are no current plans to release those titles.

HUMAN TORCH BRIGHTENS MARVEL'S SCHEDULE

Marvel's fiftieth anniversary has led the company to take a look at one of its oldest heroes, Sub-Mariner, in a twelve-issue limited series that just completed its run. When the Sub-Mariner appeared in the pages of ***Marvel Comics #1*** a half-century ago, though, he wasn't the *only* superhero in that most-desirable comic--in fact, the cover feature wasn't Sub-Mariner at all, but was instead the original Human Torch.

Now that the Torch is back in the pages of John Byrne's ***Avengers West Coast,*** Marvel's decided it's only appropriate that they take a look at the Torch's half-century career, which is one of the more convoluted and involved superhero stories from any publisher. ***The Saga of the Original Human Torch*** will be a four-issue limited series from Marvel set to begin later this year.

Roy and Dann Thomas, writers of the ***Sub-Mariner*** maxi-series, will write the ***Human Torch*** limited series, and they will be joined by ***Sub-Mariner*** penciller **Rich Buckler.**

TRACING THE FAMILY ROOTS

Swamp Thing's had a really hard time of late: his time-jaunting sojourns were sidetracked when writer **Rick Veitch** and DC came to a disagreement over a storyline involving the Swamp Thing's presence at Christ's crucifixion, so Veitch bade farewell to the title and DC put ***Swamp Thing*** on hiatus for a brief time.

Swamp Thing is finally back on the DC schedule, though, and he'll finish up his time-travels (although with a slightly different ending) just in time to return home for the birth of his and Abby's child, the new earth elemental. ***Swamp Thing #90*** will present the festive event, courtesy of new writer **Doug Wheeler** and guest artist **Pat Broderick,** whose work has recently been seen on the mega-selling ***Batman: Year Three*** series.

John Totleben will supply the cover painting; look for this new addition to the ***Swamp Thing*** family on September 28th.

ALBEDO EXPLORES NEW TERRITORY

Steve Gallacci's ***Albedo*** has been very popular as a comic book, so Thoughts & Images Press feels confident that fans will be even more happy for a chance to add an Albedo novel to their collections. ***The Albedo Novel #1,*** a $6 book scheduled for September release, will feature 150 pages of story by **Paul Kidd,** including illustrations by Steve Gallacci. The book will be published in a comic-sized perfect-bound edition.

HE DON'T NEED NO STEENKING BADGES...

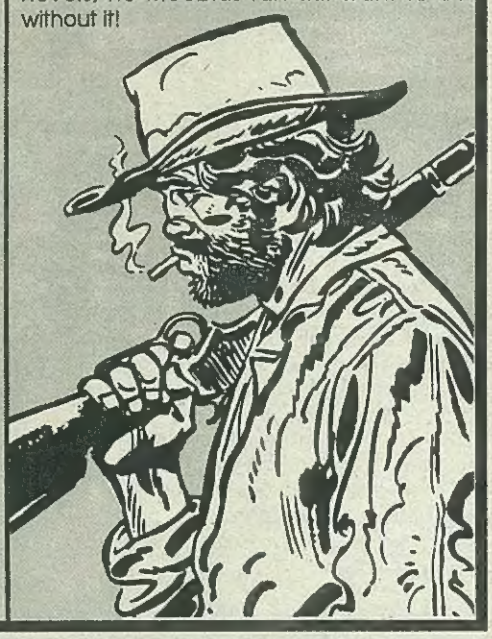
What popular Disney character had an epic adventure that put him behind the sheriff's badge in a Western town? Well, if you guessed Donald Duck, you're right; the story was "Sheriff of Bullet Valley," one of **Carl Barks'** best-known efforts.

What's a little *less* well known is the **Floyd Gottfredson** serial "Sheriff of Nugget Gulch" that predated "Bullet Valley by over a decade. The story, a very similar one, appeared in newspaper Sunday pages in 1937 and has never been reprinted. That's an oversight that Gladstone will remedy in September when they release ***Gladstone Disney Album #22,*** a $5.95 graphic album featuring the entire serial in full color. Look for it on September 21st.

NOT-SO-RIPE BLUEBERRY

CSN has already told you that Marvel's Epic Comics line will be offering a series of **Charlier/Moebius** ***Lt. Blueberry*** graphic novels beginning this August. Some fans may not have known that there are other stories of Mike Donovan, the man known as Lt. Blueberry, that predate the Marvel graphic novel material.

The Young Blueberry Volume One; Blueberry's Secret, offered in September from Comcat, will be the first in a series of volumes reprinting Charlier's and Moebius' look at the earlier life of Mike Donovan. Like the Marvel graphic novels, ***Young Blueberry*** will be published in 8 x 11 full color format; each $7.95 edition will feature 56 pages of Young Blueberry material. These volumes will explain why Donovan turned against his Southern heritage during the Civil War, and joined the US Cavalry. Fans will also find out where the name "Blueberry" came from. This is a must-have companion to the Epic ***Lt. Blueberry*** graphic novels; no Moebius fan will want to be without it!



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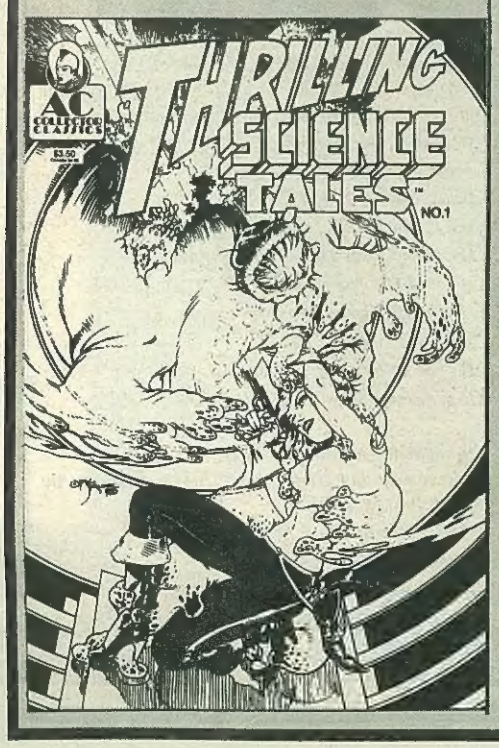
KITCHEN SINK EXPLORES NEW PLOT THREADS WITH YARN MAN

Megaton Man has introduced a number of intriguing and unusual characters to the world of comics during its five-year history, but none of them are cut from the same cloth as Yarn Man. Resembling a muppet version of the Thing, Yarn Man has proven to be one of the most popular characters that creator **Donald Simpson** has introduced. He's been so popular, in fact, that he's being given his own comic in September.

Yarn Man #1 will be the fifteenth comic in the Megaton Man saga; in this issue, Yarn Man finds himself spending some time with the Origin Legion, where he meets lotsa characters with lotsa powers and lotsa origins. He also gets to involve himself in a confrontation with Bulky Guy, the brother of archvillain Bad Guy. You can also expect to see a few members of the Megaton Man crew, including Ms. Megaton Man, Pamela Jointly, and of course, Trent Phloog himself (*aka* Megaton Man, the guy who started all this). Look for ***Yarn Man #1***, a $2 32-page all-ages black and white comic, in September.

THRILLING SCIENCE TAKES READERS TO STRANGE WORLDS

Strange Worlds #3, a 1950's sf title that's all to hard to find today, is one of those rare books that stands out in comics history because of the talents that are represented in its pages. This one book features work by **Al Williamson, Wally Wood, Frank Frazetta, Roy krenkel, and Joe Orlando.** Those hard-to-find stories are being compiled in a new title in the AC Collector Classics series ***Thrilling Science Tales,*** on sale in September. The anthology will also feature a Wood story from ***Strange Worlds #2*** along with other sf shorts. Noted artist **Mike Kaluta** has done a new cover for the book, which will feature 44 pages of stories in full color for only $3.50.



HAWKS, DOVES, AND ANGELS

Two doves may be better than one—although Hawk may not agree. He already has a new Hawk as his partner in ***Hawk & Dove***, the popular title by **Barbara and Karl Kesel, Greg Guller, and Scott Hanna**; but in ***Hawk and Dove #5***, on sale August 24th, the ghost of Don Hall, the old Dove, pays a visit to his brother. Is there room for an angel in the wings? Guess you'll have to be there and find out!

SO WHEN DOES HE MEET THE HUGH DOWNS OF 2020?

Death's Head is attracting a lot of attention lately; in the eighth issue of his own comic, on sale now, he meets Dr. Who and finds himself thrown willy-nilly into the timestream. In the ninth issue of ***Death's Head***, As ***CSN*** has already told you, he has a run-in with Fantastic Four (and with **Walt Simonson**, who contributes the cover to that issue). In the tenth issue of ***Death's Head***, on sale in mid August, he traipses through the timestream again and finds himself armor-to-armor with the Iron Man of 2020. Iron Man readers who normally don't keep up with Death's Head will want to add this issue to their don't-miss list.

DOUBLE DUTY DEVIL

El Diablo, the new costumed hero created by **Gerard Jones and Mike Parobeck,** will do double-duty in August; not only will he star in the third issue of his own book, but he'll also be one of two featured stars in ***Secret Origins #45***, on sale the same week! ***El Diablo #3*** will feature El Diablo's attempt to shut down the drug supply in Dos Rios; ***Secret Origins #45*** will (as you probably suspected) reveal the origin of El Diablo in a story brought to you by Jones and Parobeck, the team responsible for the monthly book. There'll be a second origin—that of Blackhawk, prepared by **Martin Pasko, Grant Miehm, and Terry Beatty**—presented in that issue of ***Secret Origins*** as well. Look for both books on August 24th.

CHAINGANG! GETS GROSS

CSN has already told you about Northstar Publishing's upcoming comics adaptation of ***Rex Miller's Chaingang! horror-violence*** mini-series. At the time Northstar announced the series, though, no artist had been chosen. Now they have quite an artist indeed in the person of **Peter Gross.** Gross was the artist of ***Empire Lanes,*** a lovingly rendered book that earned him quite a following; he's also done some work for Comico and for DC. Publisher **Dan Madsen** is "absolutely thrilled" to have Gross join the ***Chaingang!*** team. "Peter has the talent and vision to bring the gritty, urban realism of Miller's new ***Chaingang*** stories to life. In a very brief time, Northstar has established a tradition as an innovative publisher—and this series will certainly continue that tradition."

COWAN GOES ELFIN-WILD

"The Legends of Elfinwild" is a regular feature in the new title ***Astonish;*** if it sounds familiar, there may be a good reason: Elfinwild was briefly published in its own comic in August of 1987. the first issue, already out, features art by **Pat Gabriele**, but with the second issue, set for late July or early August release, **Denys Cowan** will be pencilling the book. Cowan's pencils will appear in ***Astonish! #2-6.***

"Denys claims to hate elves," **Sandy Wehner,** publishers of ***Astonish,*** said, "but he came through with some of his finest pencil work." Cowan has already completed his work for all six issues After this story is completed, Wehner Publishing plans to revive the Elfinwild title with ***Legends of Elfinwild #2.***

3-D FOR TRIPLE DESTRUCTION?

3-D Zone #24, on sale in September, will feature a look at "3-D War." The book will include both 3-D photos and comic stories that tell the history of 20th Century warfare. The 3-D photos will date from both World Wars, and 3-D Zone stresses that the issue will include "exceedingly rare stereo images of Hitler and the Third Reich," along with some of the only known 3-D photographs of an atomic explosion. "I'm excited to be producing a book such as 3-D War," publisher **Ray Zone** said. "it presents a rare opportunity to use 3-D as a cutting edge to examine an atomic history of our age. It combines high entertainment and educational value." The comic will be priced at $2.50. At the same time the book is released, 3-D Zone will also offer a 3-D postcard set featuring panel enlargements from some of its 3-D books; the postcards will be priced at $2.95.

THE MOB'S BARKING UP WILD DOG'S TREE

Wild Dog is used to being on top of almost any situation, but the situation is reversed in DC's ***Wild Dog Special #1,*** set for October 5th release. In that issue, Wild Dog finds the mob is hunting him, the government is after him to work for them, the world knows his secret identity, and The Catcher is closing in on him. So what's a brutal gun-toting hero to do? **Max Allan Collins and Terry Beatty** will show you what he does in a 38-page stand-along story in this $2.50 special in the standard-format.

Batman May Have Tangled With One Clayface Too Many...
Twice-monthly for two months beginning in July
Don't miss SECRET ORIGINS 44– the origins of all FOUR Clayfaces –shipping in July
Fully painted Batman mini-posters bound into DETECTIVE 604 and 607
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AUGUST CHECKLIST

The Complete August Checklist is a listing of scheduled titles and the dates that they should arrive in comics shops across the country. That doesn't mean that the books will always be in your shop on the date listed: some publishers ship from different parts of the country, and the farther away the publisher is from your local comic shop, the longer it will take the books to get to you. Publishers are sometimes forced to reschedule titles, and that might result in some date changes on some releases.

Each entry presents the title and number of the book, followed by the release date; if a title doesn't have a scheduled release date (some publishers merely say that their books will ship in April without giving a date), we don't give you a date. After that is the Publisher of the comic and the price. If a book you're looking for is on the index and doesn't arrive in a week or two after the date, be sure to ask the friendly folks at your comics shop; they may be able to update you on schedule changes that have affected that book. Hang on to this list! It presents the titles that are supposed to ship the last week of July and all of August.

❑**Action Comics 645** 8/10 DC .75

❑**Advance Comics 11** Capital .75

A complete listing of everything scheduled for October 1988 release

❑**Advanced Dungeons & Dragons 10** 8/10 DC $1.50

❑**Adventures of Superman 458** 8/3 DC .75

❑**Adventures of Superman 459** 8/31 DC .75

Will Superman find a place of ***solitude*** *to house the Eradicator?*

❑**Alf 22** 8/10 Marvel $1

❑**Alien Legion 13** 8/24 Marvel $1.50

❑**Aliens II 2** Dark Horse $2.25

Which makes this series better, the stunning artwork by Denis Beauvais or the outstanding story by Mark Verheiden? It's a toss-up!–and it's a CSN Hot Pick!

❑**Alpha Flight 77** 8/10 Marvel $1.50

It's up to Vindicator to stop the Kingpin's plot to kill an American general

❑**Amazing Heroes 171** Fantagraphics $3.50

First issue in new monthly format; Rick Veitch talks about the Swamp Thing controversy, his new King Hell Press line, his upcoming stint on Teenage Mutant Ninja Turtles and more

❑**Amazing Spider-Man 325** 8/10 Marvel $1

Captain America, Silver Sable, and Paladin guest star in the climax to the Assassin Nation Plot storyline

❑**American Color Special 1** Dark Horse $2.95

Mark Verheiden presents a new American story in full-color–red, white, and blue!–a CSN Hot Pick

❑**Animal Man 15** 8/3 DC $1.50

❑**Animal Man 16** 8/31 DC $1.50

Guest starring the Justice League

❑**Appleseed: Book Three 1** 8/24 Eclipse $2.95

❑**Aquaman 4** 8/3 DC $1

❑**Aquaman 5** 8/31 DC $1

Final issues of limited series

❑**Archie 372** 8/3 Archie .95

❑**Archie 3000 5** 8/24 Archie .95

❑**Archie's Double Digest 43** 8/11 Archie $2.25

❑**Archie's Pals 'n' Gals 211** 8/11 Archie .95

❑**Archie's RC Racers 3** 8/31 Archie .95

❑**Archie's Story & game Digest 13** 8/24 Archie $1.50

❑**Armor 8** Continuity $2

❑**Astonish! 2** Wehner $2

Denys Cowan artwork on Elfinwild storyline

❑**Avengers 310** 3/17 Marvel $1

❑**Avengers Spotlight 25** 8/10 Marvel $1

❑**Avengers West Coast 51** 8/3 Marvel $1

❑**Bad Company 12** Quality $1.50

❑**Badger 54** 8/3 First $1.95

❑**Badger Goes Berserk 4** 8/17 First $1.95

❑**Batman 439** 8/3 DC $1

Final installment of Batman: Year Three storyline by Wolfman & Broderick–a CSN Hot Pick

❑**Batman 440** 8/31 DC $1

First issue of A Lonely Place of Dying storyline that ties in with New Titans–a CSN Hot Pick

❑**Batman Button Set 3** 8/24 DC $8

Buttons by Miller, Mazzuchelli, Bolland, and Wrightson, available as a limited and standard-release set–a CSN Hot Pick

❑**Batman Special Edition TPB** Comics Interview $9.95

Collecting interviews with a variety of Batman-creators, all of which have appeared previously in Comics Interview

❑**Battletech 9** Blackthorne $2

❑**Bayou Billy 2** 8/24 Archie .95

❑**Beach Party 1** Eternity $2.50

Eternity's heroines (and a hero or two) hit the beaches in this pin-up collection

❑**Beautiful Stories for Ugly Children 3** 8/10 Piranha $2

❑**Betty & Veronica 25** 8/3 Archie .95

❑**Betty & Veronica Comics Digest 39** 8/3 Archie $1.50

❑**Big Black Kiss 2** Vortex $3.75

Prestige-format reprinting of Chaykin's Black Kiss; this issue contains #5-8 plus new material

❑**Black Phantom 1** AC $2.50

❑**Black Terror 1** 8/24 Eclipse $3.95

Imagine a world in which the Capone family has become one of the most powerful business empires in the world–but they won't be satisfied with less than first place! Into this world comes Delveccio, the Black Terror, who is determined to stop the Capone plan to take over the US's economy. A fully-painted prestige-format limited series by Beau Smith, Chuck Dixon, and Dan Brereton–a CSN Hot Pick

❑**Blackhawk 7** 8/3 DC $1.50

❑**Blackhawk 8** 8/31 DC $1.50

❑**Blood Sword Dynasty 1** Jademan $1.25

❑**Blood Sword Dynasty 2** Jademan $1.25

❑**Blood Sword 14** Jademan $1.95

❑**Captain America 363** 8/3 Marvel $1

❑**Captain Atom 33** 8/10 DC 41

❑**Captain Power 4** Continuity $2

❑**Cases of Sherlock Holmes 16** Northstar $2.25

Dan Day's book of illustrated Holmes adventures finds a new home at Northstar

❑**Cases of Sherlock Holmes TPB** Northstar $8.95

Collecting early issues of Dan Day''s Sherlock Holmes series

❑**Casper & Wendy 10** Harvey $1

❑**Casper Digest 10** Harvey $1.75

❑**Casper the Friendly Ghost 250** Harvey $1

❑**Cat & Mouse 4** EF Graphics $1.75

❑**Cerebus 125** Aardvark-Vanaheim $2

❑**Cerebus Bi-Weekly 19** Aardvark-Vanaheim $1.25

❑**Cerebus Bi-Weekly 20** Aardvark-Vanaheim $1.25

❑**Charlie Chan 6** Eternity $2.25

❑**Checkmate! 21** 8/31 DC $1.50

❑**Cheval Noir 2** Dark Horse $3.50

Featuring the finest in international comics, including work by Andreas, Tardi, Druillet, Bolton, Bolland, Darrow, and more–64 pages of great comics!

❑**Classic X-Men 40** 8/31 Marvel $1.25

Reprinting X-Men 134

❑**Cloak & Dagger 8** 8/24 Marvel $1.50

Cloak returns--and the scene is set for Acts of Vengeance!

❑p**Comic Relief 4** Page One $2.50

Great comic strip anthology featuring Bloom County, Doonesbury, Calvin & Hobbes, and more!

❑**Comics Interview 74** Comics Interview $3.95

Features interviews with Bill Stout and Matt Groening

❑**Comics Interview 75** Comics Interview $4.95

Deluxe issue features a long interview with Howard Chaykin

❑**Comics Journal 132** Fantagraphics $3.95

Featuring interviews with Paul Chadwick & Lynda Barry

❑**Comics Revue 36** Comics Interview $3.95

❑**Comics Revue 37** Comics Interview $3.95

Anthology of comic strips, including Gasoline Alley, Bloom County, Popeye, and others

❑**Comics Values Monthly 40** $2.50

Monthly price-guide keeping up with fluctuations in the collectors marketplace

❑**Conan 225** 8/17 Marvel $1

❑**Conan Saga 31** 8/24 Marvel $2.25

❑**Continuum 1** Continuum $1.50

❑**Continuum Presents 2** Continuum $2.25

❑**Cormac Mac Art: Tigers of the Seas 2** Dark Horse $2.25

Robert E. Howard's Celtic hero stars in this four-issue miniseries by Thomas & Cruz

❑**Cosmic Heroes 9** Eternity $1.95

Featuring reprints of Buck Rogers comic strips

❑**Crime Classics 11** Eternity $1.95

Featuring reprints of Shadow comic strips

❑**Critters 44** Fantagraphics $2

❑**Curse of the She-Cat 1** AC $2.50

Featuring the origin of the She-Cat

❑**Cyber 7 6** 8/3 Eclipse $2

❑**Daredevil 273** 8/3 Marvel $1

❑**Dark Assassin Vol 2 2** Greater Mercury $2

❑**Dark Horse Presents 34** Dark Horse $1.75

Aliens story highlights this issue–leading up to Aliens Vs. Predator series this fall–a CSN Hot Pick

❑**Dark Planet Video** Fantagor $29.95

Video offering featuring a science fiction tale by Richard Corben & Bruce Jones

❑**Death's Head 10** 8/24 Marvel $1.75

❑**Demonblade 3** New $1.95

❑**Den 8** Fantagor $2

Richard Corben's fantasy saga continues

❑**Denizens of Deep City 5** Kitchen Sink $2

❑**Detective 27 T-shirt** Graphitti $12.95

Full-color reproduction of cover of Batman's first comics appearance on a hefty all-cotton t-shirt

❑**Detective 605** 8/10 DC $1

❑**Detective 606** 8/24 DC $1

Continuing the Mudpack–a CSN Hot Pick

❑**Detective Comics Annual 2** 8/3 DC $2

A new "Lost Years of Batman" tale by Waid, Augustyn, and Semeiks--a CSN Hot Pick

❑**Dick Tracy Weekly 98** Blackthorne $2

❑**Dick Tracy Weekly 99** Blackthorne $2

❑**Dick Tracy Weekly 100** Blackthorne $3.50

❑**Dick Tracy Weekly 101** Blackthorne $2

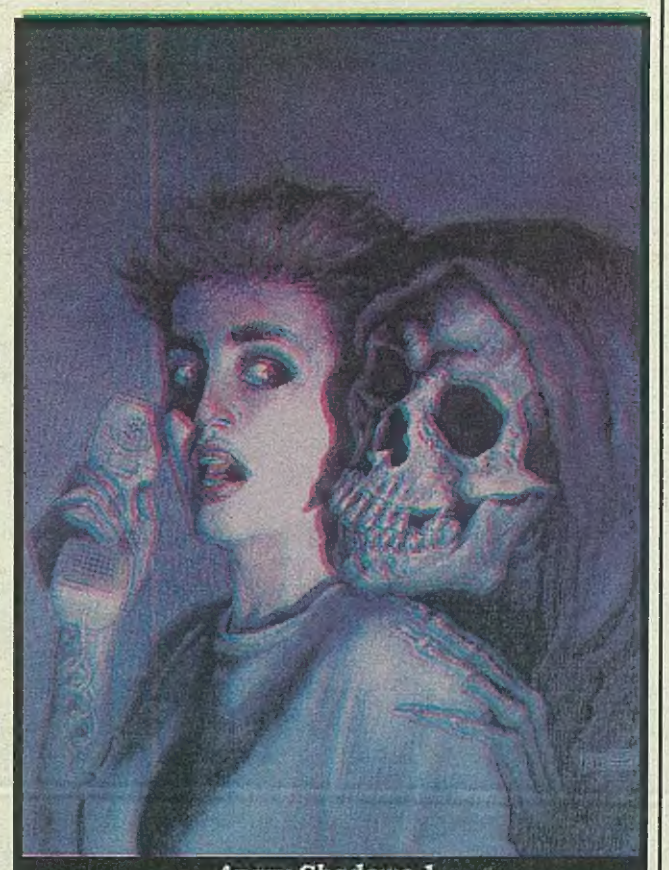
Chronological reprinting of Dick Tracy strip (these issues cover strips in 1963-early 1964; #100 is a double-sized issue)

❑**Dick Tracy: The Early Years 6** Blackthorne $2.95

❑**Dilton's Strange Science 3** 8/17 Archie .95

❑**Dirty Pair II 3** 8/10 Eclipse $2

Continuing the new mini-series by Smith & Warren



Angry Shadows 1

❑**Doc Savage 13** 8/17 DC $2

Penultimate chapter of "Sunlight Rising"

❑**Doctor Strange 10** 8/31 Marvel $1.50

Doctor Strange versus Morbius (?)

❑**Donald Duck Adventures 17** 8/3 Gladstone .95

❑**Donald Duck Adventures 18** 8/31 Gladstone .95

❑**Doom Patrol 26** 8/3 DC $1.50

❑**Doom Patrol 27** 8/31 DC $1.50

The Doom Patrol's ready to take on the new Brotherhood of Dada in Paris–if only Paris still existed!

❑**Dr. Fate 10** 8/10 DC $1.50

❑**Dr. Who Monthly 152** Marvel UK $4.75

❑**Dragonforce 12** Aircel $1.95

❑**Dragonforce Chronicles 5** Aircel $2.95

❑**Dragonlance 12** 8/24 DC $1.50

❑**Dreadstar 49** 8/10 First $1.95

❑**Drug Wars 2** Pioneer $1.95

❑**Drunken Fist 14** Jademan $1.95

❑**Edge Vol2 3** Greater Mercury $2

❑**El Diablo 3** 8/24 DC $1.50

Very human action-hero action in Southern Texas, courtesy of Jones & Parobeck

❑**Elementals 6** 8/10 Comico $2.50

❑**ETC 3** 8/3 Piranha $4.50

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❑**Everything's Archie 146** 8/24 Archie .95

❑**Ex-Mutants 13** Eternity $1.95

❑**Excalibur 15** 8/17 Marvel $1.50

❑**Eyes of Mongombo 1** Fantagraphics $2

❑**Fangoria 87** Starlog $3.50

❑**Fantastic Four 333** 8/24 Marvel $1

Wrapping up evil-FF storyline to make way for Simonson's debut as writer next month

❑**Faust 5** Northstar $2.25

Tim Vigil artwork–adults only

❑**Firestorm 90** 8/17 DC $1

❑**Fish Police 19** Apple $2.25

❑**Fission Chicken 1** Fantagraphics $2

❑**Fist of the North Star 5** 8/3 Viz $3.25

❑**Flaming Carrot 23** Dark Horse $2

❑**Flash 31** 8/17 DC $1

❑**Force of Buddha's Palm 14** Jademan $1.95

❑**Forgotten Realms 1** 8/10 DC $1.50

❑**Forgotten Realms 2** 8/24 DC $1.50

Biweekly kickoff for new TSR-tie-in series by Grubb and Morales

❑**Fright Night 13** 8/3 NOW $1.75

❑**Frost 1** Caliber $1.95

❑**Futurama 3** Slave Labor $1.95

❑**Gammarauders 8** 8/17 DC $2

❑**GI Joe 93** 8/17 Marvel $1

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❑**GI Joe European Missions 15** 8/10 Marvel $1.75

❑**GI Joe Special Missions 28** 8/3 Marvel $1

❑**Gladstone Album Special 1** 8/3 Gladstone $9.95

Featuring Donald Duck Finds Pirate Gold, Carl Barks' first Duck Adventure, in a 72-page special graphic album–a CSN Hot Pick

❑**Gladstone Album: Donald Duck Family 21** 8/10 Gladstone $5.95

❑**Gorezone 10** Starlog $3.50

❑**Green Arrow 24** 8/10 DC $1.25

❑**Green Hornet 1** 8/3 NOW $2.95

First issue of new series by Ron Fortier and Jeff Butler; this issue explores the Hornet's early days; Jim Steranko cover–a CSN Hot Pick

❑**Green Hornet 2** 8/31 NOW $1.75

❑**Gregory GN** 8/17 Piranha $7.95

Mark Hempel's insightful and hilarious story of Gregory, an institutionalized young man–a CSN Hot Pick

❑**Grendel 34** 8/3 Comico $2.50

Beginning new two-stories-in-one-issue format with art by Tim Sale

❑**Grey GN 1** 8/24 Viz $16.95

Reprinting the first segment of the Grey saga in thick graphic novel format, complete with dustwrapper

❑**Griffin 5** Slave Labor $1.95

❑**Grimjack 65** First $1.95

❑**Groo the Wanderer 58** 8/10 Marvel $1

❑**Gun Fury 8** Aircel $1.95

❑**Harold Hedd: Hitler's Cocaine 1** Kitchen Sink $2

❑**Harold Hedd: Hitler's Cocaine 2** Kitchen Sink $2

❑**Hawk & Dove 5** 8/24 DC $1

❑**Hawkman TPB** 8/3 DC $19.95

Reprinting Brave & Bold 34-37 & 42-44, the six Fox-Kubert issues that reintroduced Hawkman to the Silver-Age-DC universe–a CSN Hot Pick

❑**Hawkworld 3** 8/17 DC $3.95

Final issue of Tim Truman's brilliant series revitalizing Hawkman in the modern DC universe–a CSN Hot Pick

❑**Heathcliff 40** 8/10 Marvel $1

❑**Heavy Metal** November 89 HM $3.95

❑**Hellblazer 23** 8/24 DC $1.50

❑**Hellblazer Annual 1** 8/10 DC $2.95

❑**Hero Sandwich Graphic Novel 1** Slave Labor $7.95

Collecting the first four issues of Hero Sandwich by Vado & Austen

❑**Hobbit 1** 8/24 Eclipse $4.95

Prestige-format adaptation by Dixon & Wenzel of Tolkien's famous fantasy tale–a CSN Hot Pick

❑**Hot Shots 1** Caliber $1.95

❑**HR Giger Postcard Set** Catalan $5

❑**Huntress 7** 8/17 DC $1

❑**Incredible Hulk 362** 8/17 Marvel $1

❑**Iron Man 249** 8/31 Marvel $1

Guest-starring Dr. Doom

❑**Jake Thrash 1** Aircel $3.95

❑**James Bond Book 3** Titan $11.50

❑**Jeremy Brood GN** Fantagor $11.95

Richard Corben graphic album including hard-to-find Brood installments

❑**Judge Dredd 35** Quality $1.50

❑**Judge Dredd Book 25** Titan $12.95

❑**Judge Dredd Crime File Volume 2** Quality $5.95

❑**Jughead With Archie Digest 95** 8/17 Archie $1.5

❑**Jungle Comics 6** Blackthorne $2

❑**Justice League America 31** 8/17 DC $1

First part of JLA/JLE crossover series

❑**Justice League Europe 6** 8/3 DC $1

❑**Laugh Comics Digest 85** 8/3 Archie $1.50

❑**Law of Dredd 5** Quality $1.50

❑**Leather & Lace 2** Aircel $2.50 adult/$1.95 general

"Good girl" series by Barry Blair offered in two different formats, one for adults and one for all-ages (although it too is a bit on the risque side at times)

❑**Legendlore GN** Caliber $8.95

Realm-related miniseries collected into single volume

❑**LEGION '89 8** 8/3 DC $1.50

❑**LEGION '89 9** 8/31 DC $1.50

One team member disappears–but a new, mysteriously familiar one shows up at the same time!

❑**Legion X-1 Vol 2 1** Greater Mercury $2

❑**Legion X-2 Vol 2 1** Greater Mercury $2

❑**Li'l Abner Vol 6** Kitchen Sink $16.95

Reprinting 1940 dailies, including a very acerbic satire of The Grapes of Wrath

❑**Life With Archie 275** 8/10 Archie .95

❑**Light l& Darkness War 6** 8/3 Marvel $2.25

Final issue of limited series

❑**Little Archie Digest 39** 8/24 Archie $1.50

❑**Lone Wolf & Cub 28** 8/3 First $2.95

Matt Wagner cover

❑**Love & Rockets TPB 8** Fantagraphics $12.95

❑**Lum: Urusei Yatsura 4** 8/3 Viz $2.95

❑**Macbeth** Slave Labor $2.95

Comics adaptation of Shakespeare's play

❑**Mad 292** Mad $1.50

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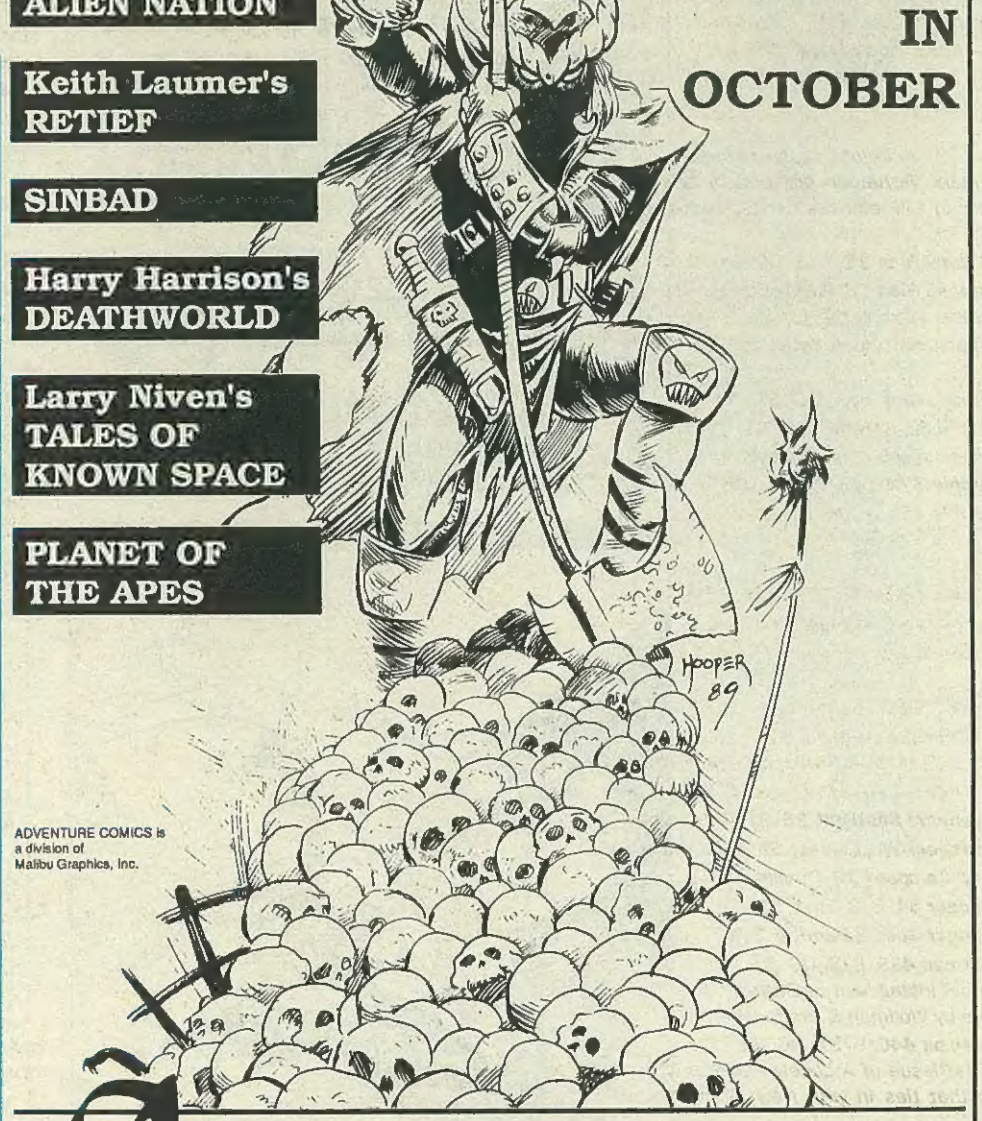

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❑***Manhunter 18*** 8/17 DC $1
❑***Marvel Age 81*** 8/17 Marvel .75
❑***Marvel Comics Presents 34*** 8/10 Marvel $1.25
Featuring Excalibur, Black Panther, Cold-blood, and Sub-Mariner
❑***Marvel Comics Presents 35*** 8/24 Marvel $1.25
Featuring Excalibur, Black Panther, Cold-blood, and Her
❑***Marvel Fanfare 47*** 8/17 Marvel $1.95
Bill Mantlo & Mike Golden present a story of the Hulk versus Spider-Man and Nick Fury
❑***Marvel Masterworks Volume 8: The Hulk*** 8/31 Marvel $24.95
Hulk 1-6, some of the hardest of all Marvel Silver Age books to find, are collected into a single masterworks volume–a CSN Hot Pick
❑***Marvel Tales 230*** 8/17 Marvel $1
Reprinting Spider-Man 203
❑***Marvel Universe Update 6*** 8/10 Marvel $1.50
❑***Master 2*** New $1.95
Continuation of Young Master storyline by Dixon & Mayerik
❑***Master Poster*** New $5.95
❑***Mayhem 4*** Dark Horse $2.50
❑***Megalith 4*** Continuity $2
❑***Melody 5*** Kitchen Sink $2
❑***Michelangelo 1 (reprint)*** Mirage $1.75
Reprinting TMNT microseries
❑***Mickey & Donald 16*** 8/24 Gladstone $1.50
❑***Mickey Mouse 253*** 8/10 Gladstone .95
❑***Mister Miracle 9*** 8/24 DC $1
❑***Modesty Blaise Book 7*** Titan $11.50
❑***Moon Knight 7*** 8/31 Marvel $1.50
❑***Mr. X 5*** Vortex $2
❑***Ms. Tree 50*** Renegade $2.75
Final Renegade issue–featuring the long-promised "Death of Ms. Tree" wrap-up plus tributes to the book by a variety of artists–a CSN Hot Pick
❑***Nam 37*** 8/31 Marvel $1.50
❑***Neuromancer GN*** 8/17 Marvel $8.95
William Gibson's famous cyberpunk SF novel comes to comics courtesy of Tom DeHaven and Bruce Jensen
❑***New Gods 8*** 8/10 DC $1.50
❑***New Guardians 12*** 8/3 DC $1.25
❑***New Humans 15*** Eternity $1.95
❑***New Mutants 82*** 8/10 Marvel $1
❑***New Titans 59*** 8/24 DC $1.75
Lead-in to Batman-New Titans crossover
❑***Nexus 63*** 8/3 First $1.95
❑***Nexus Legends 8*** 8/17 First $1.50
❑***Nightmare on Elm Street Magazine 2*** 8/3 Marvel $2.25
❑***Ninja High School 6 (reprint)*** Eternity $1.95
❑***Ninja High School GN*** Eternity $9.95
❑***Nth Man 5*** 8/10 Marvel $1
❑***Olivia 1990 Calendar*** 8/3 First $9.95
Thirteen full-color paintings by Olivia are featured on this new calendar from First–a CSN Hot Pick
❑***Omaha the Cat Dancer Figurine*** Kitchen Sink $49.95
Limited edition painted porcelain figurine of Omaha–a truly rare collectible
❑***Omni Man 1*** Lighthouse $2
❑***Oriental Heroes 14*** Jademan $1.95
❑***Original Elfquest 4*** Warp $1.50
❑***Original Zot! Book One TPB*** 8/17 Eclipse $9.95
Those hard-to-find first five issues of Zot! are featured in this full-color trade paperback--a CSN Hot Pick
❑***Outlanders 9*** Dark Horse $2.25
❑***Overstreet Price Guide Update 9*** Overstreet $3.95
❑***Phantom 7*** 8/10 DC $1.50
❑***Pirate Corp$ 2*** Slave Labor $1.95
❑***Point Blank 5*** 8/10 Eclipse $2.95
❑***Police Academy 2*** 8/17 Marvel $1
❑***Power of the Atom 16*** 8/3 DC $1
❑***Power of the Atom 17*** 8/31 DC $1
❑***Predator 2*** Dark Horse $2.25
❑***Previews 8*** Diamond .75
A complete listing of everything scheduled for October 1988 release
❑***Private eyes 5*** Eternity $3.50
❑***Punisher 26*** 8/17 Marvel $1
❑***Punisher Classics 1*** 8/31 Marvel $4.95
Full-color bookshelf-format collection featuring the rare Punisher black-and-white appearances from the '70s–a CSN Hot Pick
❑***Punisher Maazine 3*** 8/3 Marvel $2.25
Reprinting Punisher limited series #4 & #5

❑***Punisher War Journal 11*** 8/31 Marvel $1.50
❑***Punisher: Intruder HC*** GN 8/10 Marvel $15.95
Mike Baron and Bill Reinhold present an original Punisher hardcover graphic novel that puts the Punisher in conflict with a rightwing paramilitary organization-a CSN Hot Pick
❑***Purgatory USA 3*** Slave Labor $1.95
❑***Quasar 3*** 8/10 Marvel $1
❑***Question 30*** 8/10 DC $1.75
❑***Racer-X 3*** 8/10 NOw $1.75
❑***Ralph Snart ADventures 14*** 8/10 NOW $1.75
❑***Ranxerox Book 2*** Catalan $10.95
❑***Real Ghostbusters 15*** 8/3 NOW $1.75
❑***Real Ghostbusters 16*** 8/31 NOW $1.75
❑***Red Barry Collection 1*** Fantagraphics $9.95
❑***Redfox 20*** Titan $2
❑***Reid Fleming 4*** Eclipse $2
❑***Revengers 8*** Continuity $2
❑***Richie Rich 243*** Harvey $1
❑***Robin Hood 1*** Eternity $2.25
New adventures of Robin Hood by Martin Powell and StanTimmons, plus NC Wyeth covers–a CSN Hot Pick
❑***Robotech II: Malcontent Uprisings 1*** Eternity $1.95
All-original Robotech miniseries–a CSN Hot Pick
❑***Rock 'n' Roll Comics 3*** Revolutionary $1.95
❑***Rock 'n' Roll Comics 4*** Revolutionary $1.95
❑***Rogue Trooper 35*** Quality $1.50
❑***Rust 10*** 8/31 NOW $1.75
❑***Sable 22*** 8/24 First $1.95

❑***Saga of the Man Elf 1*** Trident $2.25
Michael Moorcock's Jerry Cornelius stories come to comics in this new seires
❑***Samuree 7*** Continuity $2
❑***Samuree 8*** continuity $2
❑***Sandman 9*** 8/3 DC $1.50
❑***Sandman 10*** 8/31 DC $1.50
❑***Savage Henry 12*** Vortex $2
❑***Scimidar Vol 2 3*** Eternity $2.25
Adults-only tale puts Scimidar face-to-face with Feast, the cannibalistic ladykiller, and Feast's new partner, Famine–comes pre-sealed in a plastic bag–a CSN Hot Pick
❑***Screenplay 2*** Slave Labor $1.95
❑***Secret Origins 45*** 8/24 DC $1.50
Featuring the origins of Blackhawk & El Diablo
❑***Secret Origins Special 1*** 8/17 DC $2
The origins of Batman's villains are featured in this special issue–a CSN Hot Pick
❑***Sensei 4*** 8/17 First $2.75
❑***Sgt. Rock Special 5*** 8/10 DC $2
Reprinting Rock's first appearance from Our Army at War #81 plus other classic tales from OAAw #103 & #258
❑***Shadow Strikes 1*** 8/10 DC $1.75
Gerard Jones & Eduardo Barretto take the Shadow back to his own decade, the '30's, in this exciting new series–a CSN Hot Pick
❑***Shadowland 2*** Fantagraphics $2.25
Final issue of Kim Deitch miniseries
❑***Shadowmasters 2*** 8/17 Marvel $1.95
Martial arts miniseries that ties in with Punisher
❑***Shattered Earth 9*** Eternity $1.95
❑***She-Hulk 8*** Marvel $1.50
Final John Byrne issue guest-starring a certain bearded North Pole inhabitant
❑***Sherlock Holmes 14*** Eternity $1.95
❑***SHIELD 4*** 8/17 Marvel $1.50
❑***Shuriken: Cold Steel 2*** Eternity .95
❑***Silver Surfer 30*** 8/17 Marvel $1
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❑***Sinner 5*** Fantagraphics $2.95
❑***Skreemer 5*** 8/10 DC $1.75
❑***Slaine the King 28*** Quality $1.50
❑***Sleeze Brothers 2*** 8/10 Marvel $1.75
❑***Slimer 7*** 8/3 NOW $1.75
❑***Space 34-24-34 1*** MN Design $4.50
Fumetti space saga featuring lovely women in lots of spandex and adventure
❑***Speakeasy 101*** 8/3 Eclipse $1.95
❑***Spectacular Spider-Man 157*** 8/31 Marvel $1
❑***Spectre 30*** 8/10 DC $1.50
❑***Speed Racer 26*** 8/3 NOW $1.75
❑***Speed Racer 27*** 8/31 NOW $1.75
❑***Speed Racer Classics 3*** 8/17 NOW $3.95
More manga reprints
❑***Spicy Tales 11*** Eternity $2.25
❑***Spider-Man Cap*** 8/3 Marvel $6.95
❑***Spirit 58*** Kitchen Sink $2
❑***Squalor 1*** 8/17 First $2.75
Petrucha & Sutton present this surreal story of a man who ventures from our world to A-time, where past, present, and future exist simultaneously. He sees that he must stop a man from committing suicide, because this man's life can save the lives of millions–a CSN Hot Pick
❑***Star Blazers 4*** 8/17 Comico $2.50
❑***Star Trek 1*** 8/24 DC $1.50
Peter David and James Fry boldly take you where no fan has gone before – A CSN Hot Pick
❑***Star Trek: Next Generation 1*** 8/31 DC $1.50
Second new Star Trek title featuring Next Generation adventures by Michael Jan Friedman & Pablo Marcos–a CSN Hot Pick
❑***Star Wars In 3-D 5*** Blackthorne $2.50
❑***Stargators 1*** Burcham $2.50
❑***Starlog 147*** Starlog $4.95
❑***Starman 14*** 8/3 DC $1
Guest-starring Superman!
❑***Starman 15*** 8/31 DC $1
❑***Strontium Dog 28*** Quality $1.50
❑***Suicide Squad 33*** 8/10 DC $1
❑***Suuperman 36*** 8/24 DC .75
❑***Swamp Thing 88*** 8/3 DC $1.50

❑***Swamp Thing 89*** 8/31 DC $1.50
Swamp Thing is back at last; featuring the continuing story of Swamp Thing's time-travelling odyssey courtesy of new writer Doug Wheeler
❑***Tales of the Beanworld 14*** 8/17 Eclipse $2

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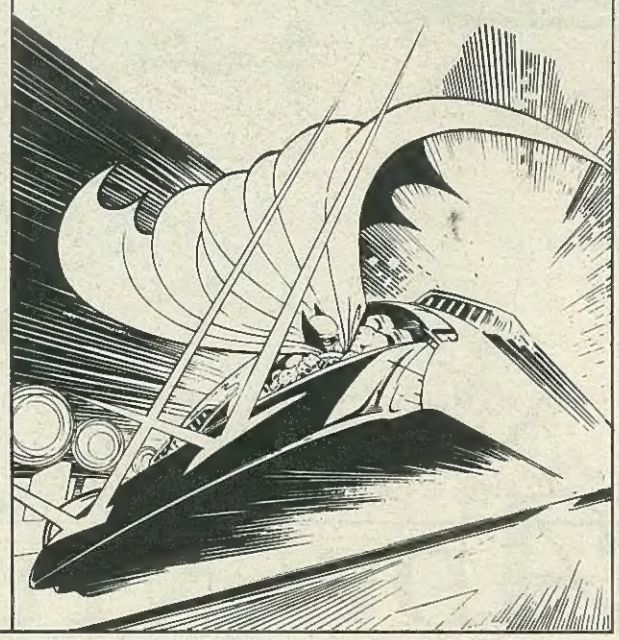

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❑***Tales of the Beanworld HC*** 8/3 Eclipse $29.95
Each copy of this limited edition hardcover wil feature a piece of original art by Larry Marder, Beanworld's creator
❑***Tanner '88 TPB*** Fantagarphics $12.95
Featuring scripts from the HBO Tanner '88 series written by Doonesbury creator Garry Trudeau
❑***Tapping the Vein 2*** 8/10 Eclipse $6.95
Comics adaptations of Clive Barker's Books of Blood
❑***Team Nippon 3*** Aircel $1.95
❑***Teaser & the Blacksmith 1*** Fantagraphics $3.50
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❑***Teenage Mutant Ninja Turtles 24*** Mirage $1.75
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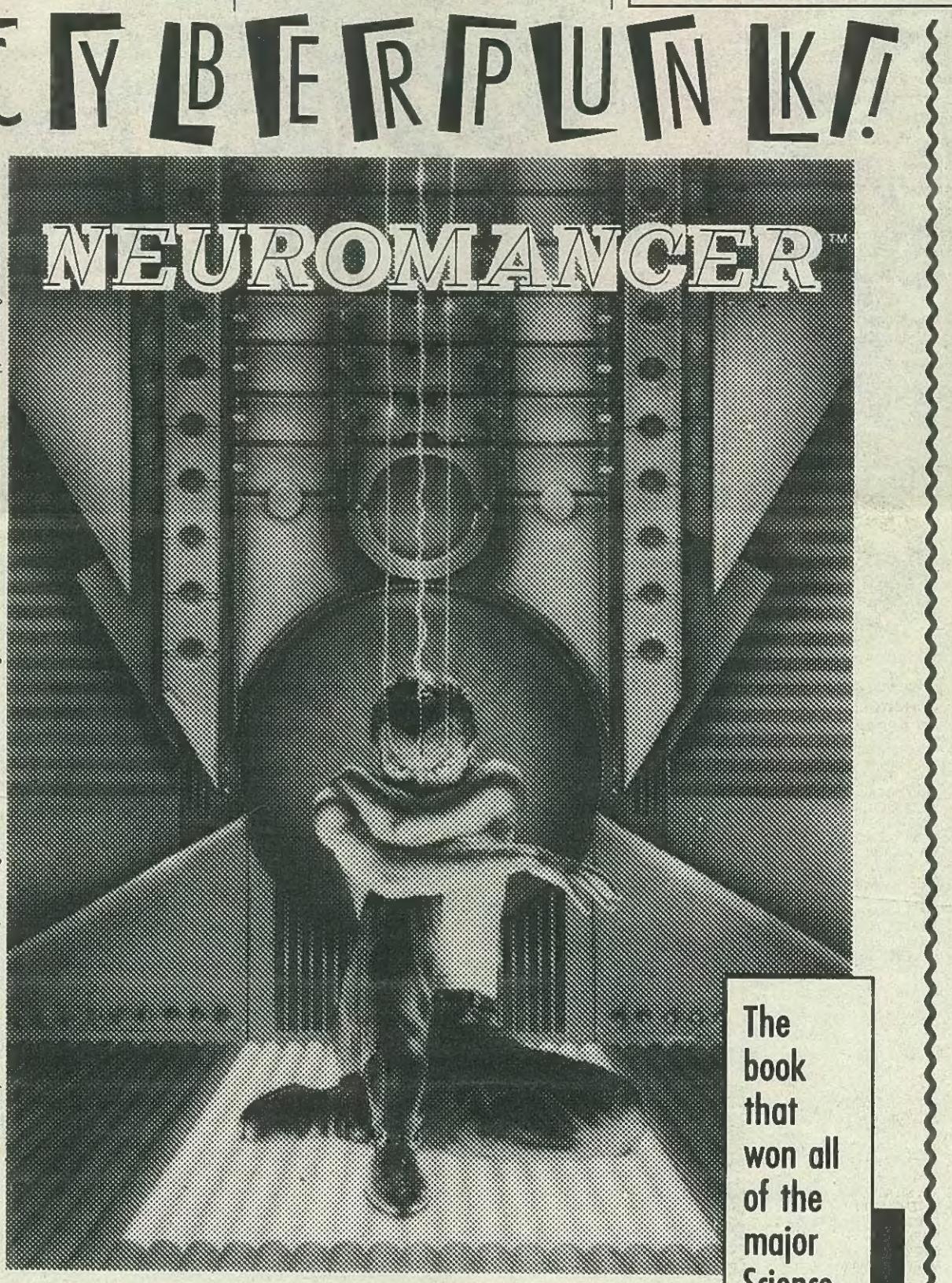
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